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**HAND DELIVERED**

Mr. Charles Terreni  
Chief Clerk of the Commission  
Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
Synergy Business Park, Saluda Building  
101 Executive Center Drive  
Columbia, SC 29210

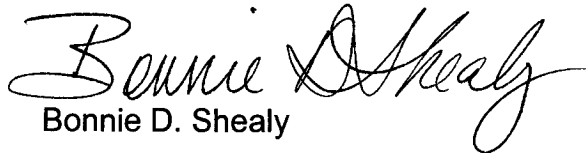
**Re: Nexus Communications, Inc.  
Petition for Designation as ETC  
Our File No. 14111-0001**

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing please find the Stipulation of Dismissal without prejudice of Communications, Inc.'s application for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier in the State of South Carolina. ORS has consented to the dismissal. The company does not want to pursue the ETC designation in South Carolina at this time. Please date-stamp the extra copies provided as proof of filing and return them with our courier. If you have any questions, please have someone on your staff contact me.

Very truly yours,

ROBINSON, MCFADDEN & MOORE, P.C.

  
Bonnie D. Shealy

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Enclosure

cc/enc: Mr. Steve Fenker (via email & U.S. Mail)  
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BEFORE THE  
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OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Docket No. 2005-397-C

In Re: Petition of  
Nexus Communications, Inc.,  
For Designation as an Eligible  
Telecommunications Carrier

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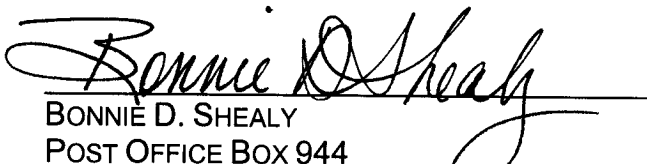
Pursuant to Rule 41(a)(1) of the South Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure, Nexus Communications, Inc. ("Nexus"), hereby submits this stipulation of dismissal of its application for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina on December 21, 2005, and requests that the case be dismissed without prejudice. Nexus does not want to pursue the designation in South Carolina at this time. Counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff has consented to the dismissal. No other attorneys or parties have appeared in this matter.

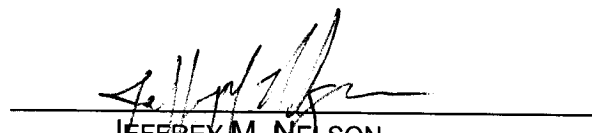
Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2006.

We consent:

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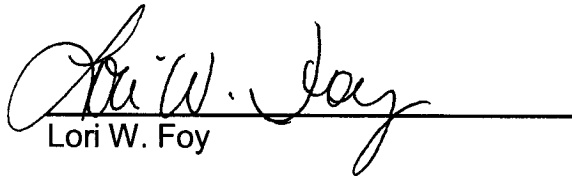
Petition of Nexus Communications,  
Inc., For Designation as an Eligible  
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I, Lori W. Foy, a legal assistant with the law firm of Robinson, McFadden & Moore, P.C., have this day caused to be served upon the person(s) named below the **Stipulation of Dismissal Without Prejudice** in the foregoing matter by placing a copy of same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed as follows:

Jeffrey M. Nelson, Esquire  
P.O. Box 11263  
Columbia, SC 29211

Dated at Columbia, South Carolina this 10th day of January, 2006.

  
Lori W. Foy